

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Confirmation Number: 5823

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Application No.: 10/665,511 Group Art Unit: 3714

Filed: September 22, 2003 Examiner: Robert J. UTAMA

For: **ONLINE SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ASSESSING/CERTIFYING  
COMPETENCIES AND COMPLIANCE**

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

This is a full and complete response to the Office Action having a mailing date of October 5, 2009. The three month shortened statutory period to respond to the Office Action was set to expire January 5, 2010; accordingly, a petition for a three-month Extension of Time accompanies this response.

In the event this response is not timely filed, Applicant petitions for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fee deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in this application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.